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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

Claim 1-9 (Canceled)

Claim 10 (Currently Amended) A slide fastener comprising:

a resin stopper portion provided adjacent to an end portion of fastener elements and welded to a fastener tape,

the stopper portion comprising an upper leg portion and a lower leg portion which sandwich a side edge of the fastener tape from above and below, and a bent portion which connects respective ends of the upper and lower leg portions,

wherein the stopper portion is integrally molded with a protrusion by molding the protrusion protruding from one part of an outer peripheral face thereof ~~except a front and back faces disposed in the length direction of the fastener tape, and~~

wherein the protrusion is a rib-like protrusion protruded along a boundary between the bent portion of the stopper portion and a bottom face thereof.